

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Serial No.: 10/576,865

For: METHOD FOR OPTIMIZING THE UTILIZATION RATIO IN A
DRIVE UNIT AND DRIVE UNIT

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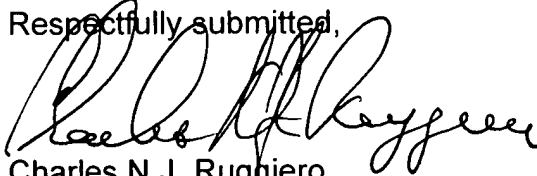
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August 15, 2008.

A check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed with this Petition. The
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Respectfully submitted,


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